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Privalle *et al.*  
09/930,905  
August 16, 2001  
METHODS FOR THE SYNTHESIS OF A MODIFIED HEMOGLOBIN SOLUTION

Confirmation No.: 1628

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO  
FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated September 24, 2001, enclosed are the following:

- Part 2 of Formalities Letter or Form PTO-1533 (Notice to File Missing Parts of Application).
- Declaration and Power of Attorney for the above-identified application which has been executed by the named inventors.
- Applicant claims small entity status.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 in the amount of \$65.00 to cover the surcharge under 37 CFR § 1.16(e).
- English Translation and \$130.00 (37 CFR 1.17(k)) fee for filing late.
- Other: Submittal of Formal Drawings (1 page) and Formal Drawings (3 sheets)

Any additional fee or credit may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 16-0605.

Respectfully submitted,

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**SUBMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated September 24, 2001 in the above application, there is enclosed herewith one set (3 sheets) of new formal drawings. It is requested that these new drawings be substituted for the originally filed drawings.

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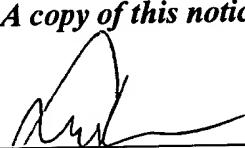
## FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing. *A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*



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